

Ramadhar Singh vows people-centred leadership at NGC

NEWLY appointed chairman of the National Gas Company (NGC), Dr Randy Ramadhar Singh, says he accepts the role with 'profound humility, gratitude, and a deep sense of responsibility'.

'This appointment represents an opportunity not only to lead but to contribute meaningfully to the advancement of Trinidad and Tobago's energy sector through a commitment to innovation, sustainable prosperity, and a people-centred approach to development,' Ramadhar Singh shared in a social media post on his personal page.

Ramadhar Singh said this country's energy sector serves as the foundation of 'economic growth, industrial expansion, and national resilience'.

'Within this dynamic landscape, NGC has played a pivotal role in shaping Trinidad and Tobago's economic trajectory, fostering technological advancement, and ensuring resource optimisation.

As the global energy environment continues to evolve, it is imperative that we embrace innovative solutions, promote environmental sustainability, and leverage emerging opportunities to reinforce our nation's strategic position,' he stated.

Ramadhar Singh said at the heart of that transformation lies the people.

'Economic prosperity is not merely a measure of financial growth; it is the collective empowerment of individuals, the equitable distribution of opportunities, and the sustainable enhancement of national well-being,' he said.

'A people-centred approach to leadership necessitates fostering collaboration, promoting inclusivity, and ensuring that the benefits of energy development reach all sectors of society.

'As I assume this role, I am committed to upholding these principles, working alongside the talented professionals within NGC, engaging stakeholders, civil society and driving initiatives that align with the long-term aspirations of Trinidad and Tobago. For all of us,' he stated.

Ramadhar Singh said leadership in this era demands foresight, adaptability, and a steadfast dedication to progress.

'I extend my sincere appreciation to all who have entrusted me with this responsibility, and I embrace this opportunity with a resolute commitment to excellence.

'Together, we will invigorate the legacy of NGC while forging new pathways for collaboration, innovation, inclusive growth and prosperity for this, our beloved and beautiful country,' he stated.

Ramadhar Singh, an energy transition expert, has replaced Dr Joseph Ishmael Khan, who stepped down last month as chairman of the NGC and its subsidiaries following the United National Congress' victory in the general election.

NGC's subsidiaries include National Energy, NGC Green Co Ltd, La Brea Industrial Development Co Ltd, T&

T NGL Ltd, and Phoenix Park Gas Processors Ltd.